

# Cal OES Daily Situation Report

## March 4, 2018



Fuels reduction projects create resilient forest landscapes & reduce the potential for large, intense wildfires should they occur. Mt. Pinos Ranger District took care of a few more piles on 03.03.18. Kern County.

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## National Terrorism Advisory System



# SITUATION SUMMARY

## Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

### Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report

### Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report

### Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

#### **Avalanche Incident, Mammoth Mountain Inn, Mono County (Initial / Final)**

On 03/03/18, the California State Warning Center (CSWC) was notified of an avalanche that occurred at the Mammoth Mountain Ski Resort, High Five Express (Chair 5) area. Ski resort personnel were on scene already conducting avalanche control work and skiing activity had been restricted. Avalanche debris flowed toward the bottom of the hill but crossed into an area that was open to the public.

- 3 people were partially impacted; 2 civilians and 1 ski resort employee were self rescued without injury.
- The area ski patrol conducted manual search operations with local search and rescue personnel with canines.
- The ski resort has shut down operations for the day with the intention of re-opening 03/04/18.
- The Cal OES Law Duty Officer (LDO) authorized a mission for 20 mountain rescuers from Mono and Inyo counties to assist in further search activities. (2018-LAW-45493)
- At 1708 hours, the LDO advised searchers have cleared the scene and no additional rescues or missing persons located.



## **FIRE ACTIVITY**

### **Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels**

<b>National</b>	<b>Northern California</b>	<b>Southern California</b>
<b>Preparedness Level 1</b>	<b>Preparedness Level 1</b>	<b>Preparedness Level 2</b>
	<b>Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 1</b>	<b>Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 1</b>

Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

- Nothing significant to report.

# MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

## Lifeline Routes

- There are no lifeline route closures.

## Non-Lifeline Routes:

- There are no non-lifeline route closures.

## Wildfire Closures:

- There are no wildfire closures.

## Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center Activations.

## Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check  
current highway conditions.  
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for  
current highway conditions.



## California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

### 911 Outages/Remote/Community Isolations:

- None reported.

### Service Interruptions:

- None reported.

# WEATHER OF CONCERN

## Weather of Concern

- There is no weather of concern.

## **Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

## **Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:**

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

# **WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION**

## **NORTHERN CALIFORNIA**

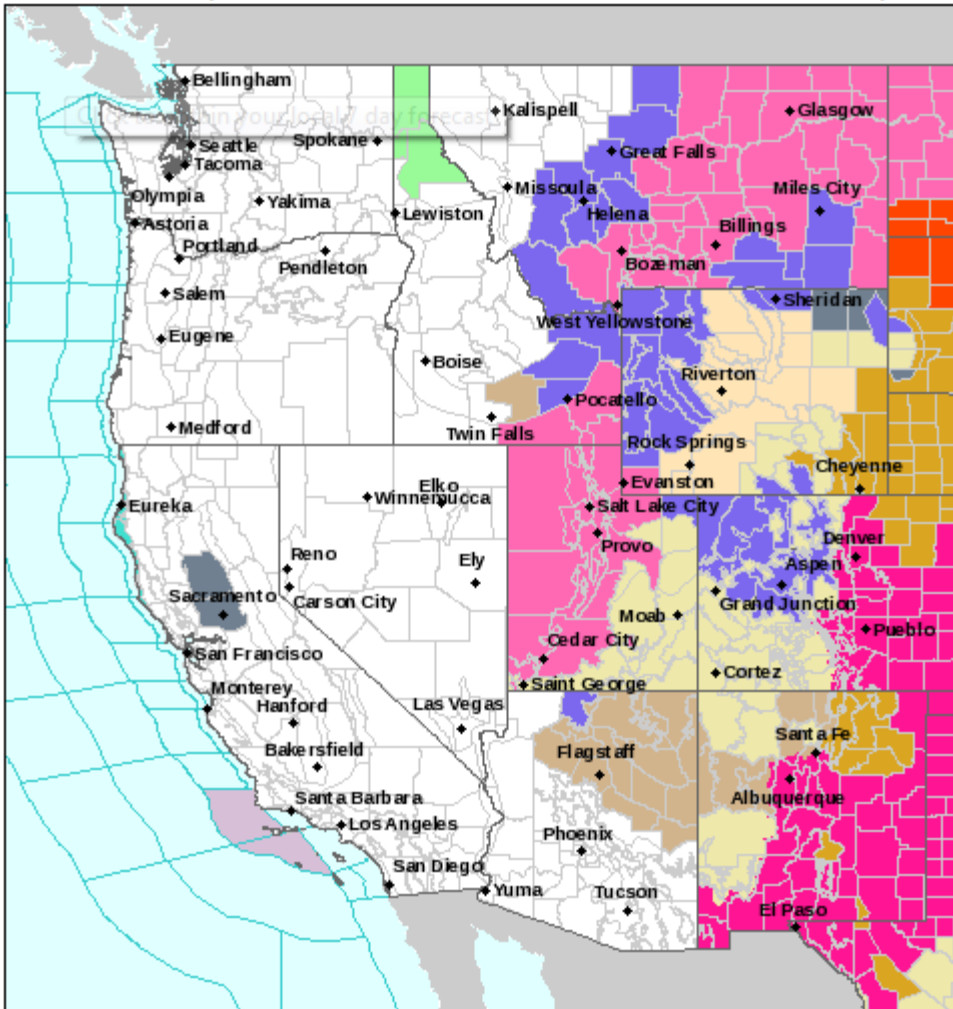
Warmer, drier weather will return today and last into the middle of the week as high pressure moves through the region. Tuesday looks like the warmest day with the mildest locations in the lower 60s. However, overnight lows will remain quite cold with lows right around freezing for the warmest places. The weather pattern will remain unsettled next week with more precipitation and cooler temperatures expected the latter half of next week.

## **SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA**

Expect a strong warming trend today into the first half of the week. There will be some light offshore flow Monday and Tuesday during the night and morning hours. Temperatures the next two days will only be in the 30s in the mountains to the 50s at lower elevations, but by Monday, temperatures will return to near seasonal averages.



# WEATHER MAP



- [Blizzard Warning](#)
- [Winter Storm Warning](#)
- [High Wind Warning](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Winter Weather Advisory](#)
- [Dense Fog Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Wind Advisory](#)
- [Beach Hazards Statement](#)
- [High Wind Watch](#)
- [Fire Weather Watch](#)
- [Special Weather Statement](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)
- [Short Term Forecast](#)



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# Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

## Cal OES Law Missions

- **2018-LAW-45497, 3/03/2018, 1340 hours:** International Emergency Rescue Coordination Center (IERCC) advised of an activation of an In-Reach device. The device was sounding at coordinates 37° 20 minutes 29.3 seconds N by -119° 33 minutes 20.3 seconds W. IERCC attempted to communicate with the activated device with negative results. LDO contact the R/O son who was listed as one of the emergency contacts who advised his father was out snowboarding. LDO obtained a second coordinates of 37° 24 minutes 25.5 seconds N by -119° 30 minutes 52 seconds W. With that information the son advised that he believed this activation was an accidental activation. Update: 03/03/18, 1500 hrs, The R/O's son was able to make contact with his father and advised the LDO that this was an accidental activation. **Mission Closed.**
- **2018-LAW-45493, 3/03/2018, 1120 hours:** Mono County Sheriff's Department (MCSD) is requesting resources to assist in locating victims of an avalanche at Chair six at the Mammoth Lakes Ski Resort. MCSD is requesting the immediate response of (20) Type-I Mountain Rescuers. Inyo County Sheriff's Department (ICSD) who was conducting a re-certification class was able to respond with the requested resources. Update: 03/03/18, 1730 hrs, MCSD advised they have cleared the scene and have released all resources. **Mission Closed**

# Cal OES MISSION TASKING

## Cal OES Missions

- **2018-IREOC-45244:** Caltrans to remove dead and dying trees along highways in Kern, Tulare, Fresno, Madera, Mariposa, Tuolumne, Calaveras, Butte, Plumas, Sierra, Shasta, and Lassen counties.
- **2018-Southern-44905:** Communications support, Baker to Vegas Annual Challenge Cup, San Bernardino County (Coordinating)
- **2017-SOC-44098:** CalRecycle Debris Management Team in Ventura County
- **2017-SOC-43821:** DTSC to remove household hazardous waste from over 500 residential lots in Ventura County (On Scene)
- **2017-Inland-42559:** Weather station installed to gather real time rainfall data by Air Resources Control Board (On Scene)



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